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Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the above-captioned application NOT BE PUBLISHED under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.211. The undersigned hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. [ ] Applicant(s) suggest(s) Figure \_ for inclusion on the front page of the patent application publication and patent. Also enclosed are: [X] 5 sheet(s) of [X] formal 1 1 informal drawing(s): [X] a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is [ ] hereby made to filed in on ; [X] in the declaration: [X] a Claim for Convention Priority: [X] a certified copy of the priority document; a General Authorization for Petitions for Extensions of Time and Payment of Fees: [ ] an Assignment document; [ ] an Information Disclosure Statement: [ ] a patent application bibliographic data sheet; and [X] An [ ] executed [X] unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) [X] also is enclosed [ ] will follow. [ ] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence - This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to \_ filed in \_ on \_; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.--[ ] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence; -- This application is a continuation of International Application No. \_\_filed on \_, which International Application [ ] was [ ] was not published by the International Bureau in English on \_.--.



[ ] Small entity status is hereby claimed.

[X] The filing fee has been calculated as follows [ ] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

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Basic Application Fee					\$710.0 (101
Total Claims	9	MINUS 20 =	0	× \$18.00 (103) =	0
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	× \$80.00 (102) =	0
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[ ]	This application is being filed without a filing fee.	Issuance of a Notice to File Missing
	Parts of Application is respectfully requested.	

- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 710.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
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